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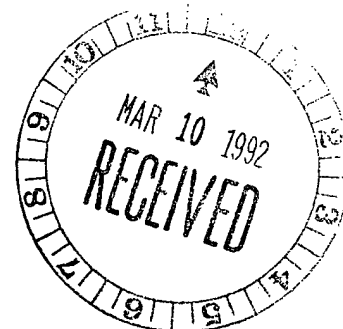
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Title: A HUMAN GENE RELATED TO BUT  
DISTINCT FROM EGF RECEPTOR  
GENE



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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

As suggested by 37 CFR 1.97, Applicants undersigned attorney would like to direct the Examiner's attention to the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449, a copy of each reference being enclosed herewith. This Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that no other information as defined in 1.56(a) exists, or that a reference is relevant merely because cited herein.

(1) Paik, S. et al. Pathologic Findings From the National Surgical Adjuvant Breast and Bowel Project: Prognostic Significance of erbB-2 Protein Overexpression in Primary Breast

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(3) Park, J-B. et al. Amplification, Overexpression, and Rearrangement of *erbB-2* Protooncogene in Primary Human Stomach Carcinomas. Cancer Research (1989) Vol. 49, pp. 6605-6609, reports the amplification, overexpression and rearrangement of the *erbB-2* protooncogene in primary human stomach carcinomas.

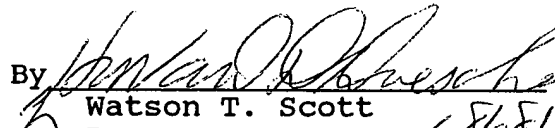
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(5) Berger, M.S. et al. Correlation of *c-erbB-2* Gene Amplification and Protein Expression in Human Breast Carcinoma with Nodal Status and Nuclear Grading. Cancer Research (1988) Vol. 48, pp. 1238-1243, reports the correlation of *c-erbB-2* gene amplification and protein expression in human breast carcinoma with nodal status and nuclear grading.

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Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider and make of record the above mentioned references during the prosecution of the subject application. Accordingly, an early and favorable reply is awaited.

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